

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-14. (Canceled)

15. (Currently Amended) A composition for forming a layer on a surface, said composition consisting of comprising:

hydroxyl-functional polysiloxane;
hexamethoxymethylmelamine;
toluenesulfonic acid; and
methyl amyl ketone.

16. (Currently Amended) The composition as recited in claim 15 wherein said hydroxyl-functional polysiloxane is approximately 4% of said composition, said ~~hexamethoxymethylmelamine~~ hexamethoxymethylmelamine is approximately 0.95% of said composition, said toluenesulfonic acid is approximately 0.05% of said composition, and said methyl amyl ketone is approximately 95% of said composition.

17. (Original) The composition as recited in claim 15 further including gamma-glycidoxypropyltrimethoxysilane.

18. (Currently Amended) The composition as recited in claim 17 wherein said hydroxyl-functional polysiloxane is approximately 4% of said composition, said ~~hexamethoxymethylmelamine~~ hexamethoxymethylmelamine is approximately 0.7% of said composition, said gamma-glycidoxypropyltrimethoxysilane is approximately 0.25% of said composition, said toluenesulfonic acid is approximately 0.05% of said composition, and said methyl amyl ketone is approximately 95% of said composition.

19. (Currently Amended) The composition as recited in claim 15 wherein relative proportions of said hydroxyl-functional polysiloxane, hexamethoxymethylmelamine, hexamethoxymethylmelamine, gamma-glycidoxypropyltrimethoxysilane, said toluenesulfonic acid, and methyl amyl ketone provides said composition with approximately 20% by weight of silicon atoms upon transitioning from a liquid state to a solidified state.

20-31. (Canceled)